

*RESOLUTION NUMBER 295*  
*MARJORIE EMSHOFF*

***WHEREAS*, Marjorie Emshoff ("Marge") has been the Ritenour Area Chair for the St. Louis Christmas Carols Association since 1968; and**

***WHEREAS*, Marjorie Emshoff began working for the St. Louis Christmas Carols Association in October, 1970 until her retirement this year; and**

***WHEREAS*, over the years Marge exhibited a special talent for organizing "Special Sing" groups to fulfill public requests for carolers; and**

***WHEREAS*, Marge has devoted countless hours to the cause of sharing "Christmas Joy and Goodwill" every day of the year to hundreds of neighborhoods throughout the St. Louis Metropolitan area; and**

***WHEREAS*, Marge retired as an employee this year from the St. Louis Christmas Carols Association but continues to volunteer as Ritenour Area Chair.**

***NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED* by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to thank Marjorie Emshoff for nearly forty years of service to the St. Louis Christmas Carols Association as a volunteer and as an employee. May Christ's goodness and promise be with her every day. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to the honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the sponsor.**

**Introduced on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2007 by:**

**Honorable Craig Schmid, Alderman 20<sup>th</sup> Ward**

**Adopted this the 14<sup>th</sup> Day of December, 2007 as attested by:**

---

**Denise Watson-Wesley Coleman**  
**Clerk, Board of Aldermen**

---

**Lewis E. Reed**  
**President, Board of Aldermen**